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Committee to Elect Gary L. Ackerman, Inc.

ID # COO165241

Mid-Year Report (1/1/99-6/30/89)

Dear Mr. Young:

With regard to your letter of November 23, 1999 in which you request concerning our "best efforts", enclosed please find an original information request card and the pre-addressed envelope which accompanies every fund raising solicitation. If a contributor neglects to send the card, there is either a follow-up phone call or follow-up correspondence similar to the one attached to this letter. The Committee uses all due diligence in obtaining and providing this information in a complete and timely manner.

With respect to the other issues regarding the contributions from Leonard Lauder and Charles Hwu, I am in the process of receiving confirmatory letters to redesignate to the general election. I will send these to you upon receipt.

Sincerely,

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